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Inventors: Hidong Kwak et al.
Application No.: 10/672,725
Filing Date: September 26, 2003
Your Reference: P 1058
Our Reference: TNCR.212US1

Patent Application entitled
Optical System for Measuring Samples Using Short Wavelength
Radiation
Inventors: Mehrdad Nikoonahad et al.
Application No.: 10/718,126
Filing Date: November 19, 2003
Your Reference: Unknown
Our Reference: TNCR.197US1

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Per our conversation today, enclosed is the Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney, Assignment and the application, as filed. Please review these documents and sign the Declaration and Assignment, where indicated.

After all the documents have been fully executed, please return the original signed and dated documents to me in the enclosed, pre-paid envelope. These documents must be filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office by **February 23, 2004**, to avoid payment of extension fees.

Also enclosed for your review is the application entitled "Optical System for Measuring Samples Using Short Wavelength Radiation". A Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney and Assignment documents will be sent to you this week for execution.



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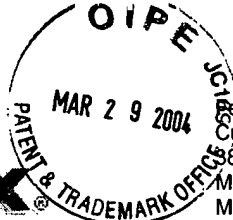
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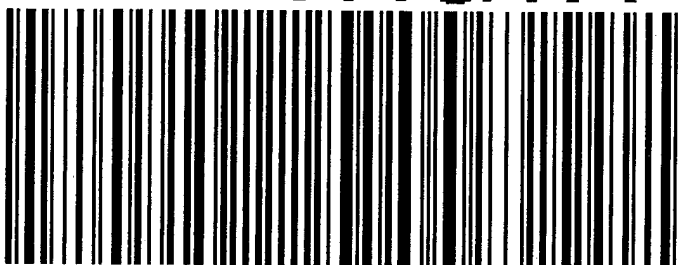
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